#### SANTA ANA COLLEGE

#### CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACADEMIES

# **COURSE SYLLABUS**

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MISSION STATEMENT

Santa Ana College inspires, transforms, and empowers a diverse community of learners

**COURSE TITLE:** Canine Agitator Training CJA 076B

#### **COURSE OBJECTIVES:**

Upon completion of the course students will be able to:

- 1. Develop knowledge in the role of and agitator in a canine training environment
- 2. Examine the proper utilization of canine training equipment
- 3. Develop knowledge in training safety protocols in a canine training environment
- 4. Develop knowledge in identifying canine alerts and responses

#### **GRADING:**

All testing procedures and protocols are consistent with California Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST) rules and regulations

POST certified instructors evaluate student performance in all tested exercises.

Scale: 70% or higher – Pass / Lower than 70% - No Pass

# **SCHEDULED COURSE:**

See Santa Ana College 2019-2020 Catalog at sac.edu, or call the CJA Office at 714 566-9200

# **REQUIRED MATERIALS:**

Supplied by instructor during the first class meeting

#### **COURSE CONTENT:**

#### Lab

- 1. Basic agitator instruction
  - A. The role of agitator
  - B. Identification of defense aggression
  - C. Proper use of training equipment
  - D. Working with handlers
- 2. Advanced agitator instruction
  - A. Minimizing injuries
  - B. Proper use and application of corrective tools
  - C. Identification of canine drives
  - D. Improve guard and bark techniques
  - E. Develop confidence in using bite suit
  - F. Gun fire drills

Total Lab Hours - 80

Total Course Contact Hours - 80 Lab

## **LEARNING METHODS TO BE EMPLOYED:**

Class discussions, Group Study & Exercises, Handouts, Instructor Demonstrations, Lecture, Other: Practical Application Exercises

## **SKILLS TO BE MEASURED BY:**

**Multiple Practical Application Exercises** 

Skills tests

### STANDARDS OF STUDENT CONTACT:

From the 2019-2020 SAC Catalog page 61: Students enrolling in district educational programs assume an obligation to obey state law and district rules and regulations governing the conduct of students. Students who enroll in those instructional programs in which the college has affiliations with various outside associations must comply with the college's policies and procedures and also with the outside association's policies and procedures. This includes but is not limited to students enrolled in the programs of Fire Academics, Criminal Justice Academies and Nursing.

# **ACADEMIC ACCOMODATION STATEMENT:**

A student with a disability, who would like to request an academic accommodation, is responsible for identifying herself/himself to the instructor and to the Disabled Students Programs and Services (DSPS). To make arrangements for academic accommodations, contact the Disables Student Office in Johnson Center, U-103, or phone (714) 564-6264, TTY (714) 564-6284 for a referral to the appropriate DSPS Department.